

## **S'COOL E-note March 2010**

*Greetings from the S'COOL Team! Welcome to Issue 45 of the S'COOL E-note.*


**This month's issue includes:**

- 1) Featured lesson, "Creating Station Models"**
- 2) Kiwi Kids Cloud Identification Guide now available at S'COOL**
- 3) S'COOL featured on Teaching From Space website**
- 4) "Lin's Tips" provides helpful hints for observing clouds**

### **1) Featured lesson, "Creating Station Models"**

Station Models are used on weather maps to display weather conditions surrounding individual weather stations. Ground observations are translated into corresponding symbols on a map, making weather maps easier to interpret. In this month's featured lesson, [Creating Station Models](#), students construct station models on an outline map of a given location, using data from the S'COOL database or alternative data source suggested in the lesson. The Lesson Links section of the lesson includes great sources of blank outline maps!

### **2) Kiwi Kids Cloud Identification Guide now available at S'COOL**

A special cloud identification booklet for students, "Kiwi Kids Cloud Identification Guide", is now available on the [S'COOL: Observing Cloud Type](#), and on the [S'COOL Kids Page](#). The booklet was developed by the [GLOBE](#)  program in New Zealand.

### **3) S'COOL featured on Teaching From Space website**

Take a few minutes to visit the [Teaching from Space](#) website. S'COOL is now part of the Teaching From Space project. Check back for more information about an upcoming Teaching From Space- S'COOL event!

### **4) "Lin's Tips" provides helpful hints for observing clouds**

Both new and experienced S'COOL observers can learn from [Lin's Tips](#), a list of important safety reminders and helpful hints for observing clouds. Do you have a helpful hint that would benefit other observers? E-mail us your hint or "teacher tip" for possible inclusion on the page!

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